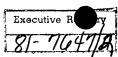
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Dear

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Many thanks for your letter of April 6th. As you are aware, I have been doing a lot of travelling this year and it is only now that I am able to turn to your thoughtful comments on

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It has been gratifying for me to observe how old friends of the Agency are now giving positive support to our efforts by providing us with recommendations and endorsements of people whom they are convinced can contribute to the efficient fulfillment of our objectives. Such support from our friends plays an important role, often leading us to establish or re-establish contact with individuals able to make a significant contribution to our efforts.

Again, let me express my thanks for your suggestion. Please keep me and the Agency in mind when other contacts of yours come to your attention whom you believe should be of interest to us.

Best wishes and warmest regards.

William J. Casey

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